



# CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT

05-048

**Date:** Thursday, February 3, 2005  
**District:** 08 – San Bernardino & Riverside Counties  
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**WHAT: ROAD CLOSURE UPDATE**

**WHEN: THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2005 (1400)**

**WHERE: SAN BERNARDINO AND RIVERSIDE COUNTIES**

The following is an update of current road conditions due to storms in Riverside and San Bernardino counties. **All closures and re-openings are weather permitting.**

**EFFECTIVE SATURDAY FEBRUARY 5, 2005**  
**SR-18 WILL BE OPEN FROM 40<sup>TH</sup> STREET TO JCT 18/138**

**Escorts will continue between Jct 18/138 and Crest Forest Dr. (Top Town).**

HIGHWAY ➤ Indicates recent change	STATUS	REASON	DURATION
➤ <b>Effective Sat 2/5/05 - SR-18 will open from 40<sup>th</sup> Street to Jct. 18/138. SR-138 will remain closed to Crestline except for escort hours. Non-resident traffic is urged to use SR-330 to Arrowhead/Running Springs or SR-38 to Big Bear. Please note the escort schedule on SR-18 to Crestline is firm and subject to current road conditions.</b>	<b>SR-18 OPENS</b> <b>4am-Sat-2/5/05:</b> From 40 <sup>th</sup> to Jct 18/138 <b>SR-138 to Crest Forest Drive</b> <b>CLOSED:</b> (use escort hours)	Slide <b>Escorts hours</b> (7 days/wk) <b>4 AM to 7 AM</b> <b>5 PM to 7 PM</b>	End of March 2005
<b>SR-18</b> from Jct. 18/138 to Pine Avenue (The Narrows to Rim Forest)	<b>CLOSED</b>	Slides & Road Damage	Until further notice.
<b>SR-18</b> from Big Bear to Lucerne Valley (Delta Way to Arctic Can Wash)	<b>CLOSED</b>	Road washed out	<b>Estimated to open 2/15/05</b>
<b>SR-173</b> from Arrowhead Lake Road to Arbon Lane	<b>CLOSED</b>	Flooding	Unknown Duration
<b>SR-2</b> Big Pines to Vincent Gap	<b>CLOSED</b>	Slides	Unknown Duration
<b>SR-2</b> Vincent Gap to ISLIP Saddle	<b>CLOSED</b>	Winter Closure	Until Spring 2005

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A number of alternate routes are open for travel between San Bernardino Mountain communities. Below please find open and alternate route information.

ROUTE	AVAILABLE ROUTE
➤ <b>SR-330</b> from Highland Ave. to Big Bear	<b>OPEN</b> Nighttime flagging begins 2/7/05 (M-Th) 7pm to 5 am for slope repair through 2/18/05 (Location of work - 2 miles uphill from Highland Avenue)
<b>SR-138</b> east of I-15 to Crestline	<b>OPEN</b>
<b>SR-18</b> from Snow Valley to Big Bear Dam (Arctic Circle)	<b>OPEN</b>
<b>SR-38</b> from Angelus Oaks to Lake Williams.	<b>OPEN</b> Flagging will begin on Monday (1/31/05) for continuing slide work from 7 AM to 4 PM (M-F) for approximately 3 weeks.
<b>SR-38</b> Slide repair from Valley of the Falls to Cedar Falls	<b>OPEN</b> Daytime flagging will take place for two weeks for continued repairs.
<b>SR-74</b> from Riverside County Line to La Pata Rd. in Orange County.	<b>OPEN</b> Daytime flagging will take place for several weeks for continued repairs.
<b>SR-142</b> Carbon Canyon Road between Canon Lane and Canyon Hills Rd.	<b>OPEN</b> Daytime flagging will take place for several weeks for continued repairs.
<b>SR-195</b> (Avenue 66) at Pierce <b>Speeds reduced to 45 MPH in the construction zone.</b>	<b>OPEN</b> Repairs continue- please observe reduced speeds.

**The Fire Department has asked that drivers do not block their driveway on Crest Forest Drive for emergency purposes.** Motorists are strongly advised not to pass barricades onto closed roads. This action may cause harm to you and your passengers along with road crews. This information will be updated when available. Please drive with caution and check road conditions before you travel. For information please go to our Web site at [www.dot.ca.gov/dist8](http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist8) and view commuter alerts or call our Public Affairs Office at (909) 383-4631.

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